

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed via  
EFS-Web with the United States Patent and Trademark Office  
on February 15, 2008

TOWNSEND and TOWNSEND and CREW LLP

By: [Signature]

PATENT

Attorney Docket No.: 023070-127310US

Client Ref. No.: 2002-502-1

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Huazhong Shi

Application No.: 10/520,497

Filed: September 14, 2005

For: IMPROVED TRANSPORTERS  
AND THEIR USES

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 9783

Examiner: Bui, Phuong T.

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1638

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 16, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 4 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.